TOPICS TO BE COVERED UNDER 30 CFR PART 46 ANNUAL REFRESHER TRAINING – 2019

PROVIDED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF LABOR STANDARDS

SUBJECT	APPROX. TIME
Introduction and Pre-test	½ hour
New Workplace Exam Rule	½ hour
Hazard Recognition – what is right or wrong?	½ hour
Fatality Reviews – Prevention of Accidents	½ hour
Equipment Inspection, Maintenance and Repair – Fire	½ hour
Watch and Hot Work	
Health Hazards	½ hour
Powered Haulage Initiative – Large Vehicles Hitting	½ hour
Small Vehicles	
Powered Haulage Initiative – Seat Belt Usage	½ hour
Powered Haulage Initiative - Conveyor Belt Safety	½ hour
MSHA Citations / Accidents - Prevention of Accidents	½ hour
Ground Conditions, Control and Inundation	½ hour
Fall Prevention	1 hour
Mobile Equipment – Powered Haulage and Brakes	½ hour
Post-test, Review and Evaluation	½ hour

Please note that the total length of the topics listed above is 7.5 hours even though, at a minimum, eight hours of annual refresher training is required by MSHA.

The training being provided by the Massachusetts Department of Labor Standards does not include instruction on changes at each individual mine that could adversely affect the miner's health and safety. This portion of the required training is being left to the individual mine operator.

Teaching methods used by the Department of Labor Standards will include lectures, discussion, videos, and PowerPoint presentations.

To determine the effectiveness of the training, quizzes will be given.